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SEMI-CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

OF THE ORGANIZATION OF THE

First Church of Christ

OF

GALESBURG, ILLINOIS.

Held on Friday, Saturday and Sunday,

February 25, 26 and 27, 1887.

GALESBURG, ILL.:

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ROLL OF MEMBERS.

At different times in the history of the Church the record of meetings is imperfect or entirely wanting, and hence probably a few errors may occur in the roll of members. In March, 1867, a careful examination of the records was made by a committee consisting of Eli Earnham, John G. West, Samuel Hitchcock, Wm. R. Butcher and Norman Churchill. Their labors resulted in the following "Register" or "Roll of Members," concerning which a few explanatory notes are necessary:

1. Numbers before names denote the order of admission.
2. Numbers, in parenthesis, after names refer to the parents; ad., adopted.
3. Names in parenthesis refer to the husband.
4. A small w denotes wife; b, brother; s, sister; n, nephew or niece; and a small w in parenthesis, with a number denotes "wife of," etc.
5. A small p, denoting "on profession," is followed by the date of admission; in a few instances a small l denotes received on certificate, but commonly the church from which the member came is designated by an abbreviation, followed by the date of admission—thus: P. denotes Presbyterian; C, Congregational; M. E., Methodist Episcopal; M. P., Methodist Protestant; W. M., Wesleyan Methodist; L., Lutheran; E., Protestant Episcopal; Ch., Christian; R., Reformed Dutch; B., Baptist; C. P., Cumberland Presbyterian; E. R., Evangelical Reformed; F., Friends; E. U., Evangelical Union.
6. D. denotes dismissed; d., deceased; W., withdrawn; and the number placed immediately after these letters is the date of removal.
7. A number following small a is the age at the time of death.
8. Names of ministers of the gospel are in italics, while those who have been pastors of this Church are in small capitals.
9. In certain cases the same person is designated by more than one number, as—

112 and 1062	441, 1116, 1590	979 and 1277	1083 and 1360	1267 and 1507
449 and 1093	929 and 1117	957 and 1278	466 and 1412	1201 and 1515
995 and 1100	810 and 1134	916 and 1286	707 and 1453	1315 and 1516
998 and 1101	803 and 1135	914 and 1287	1161 and 1495	1359 and 1557
903 and 1107	83 and 1182	1048 and 1317	1331 and 1509	967 and 1349
670 and 1124	612 and 1265	923 and 1335	1280 and 1510	1343 and 1600
416, 1115, 1589	580 and 1271	1049 and 1336		

Errors in prefixing numbers to names have been partially remedied by duplicating numbers. The name denoted by 731 should have been placed in July, 1850, and those by 655 and 656 in May, 1852. Through inquiry, corrections were made in this register down to the last day before publication, and hence the statistical paper and the register will be found to differ slightly.

N. B.—All information tending to the correction of errors or the filling of blanks in this register should be sent at once to Milton L. Comstock, 641 Academy street, Galesburg, Ill.

174. William Edward Holyoke (89)p.....	Mar., 1839.....	D
175. Jonathan Simmons.....p.....	" ".....	d. 1840, a. 39
176. Isaiah Tompkins (11).....p.....	" ".....	W
177. Stillman F. Dolbear.....p.....	" ".....	D. 1851
178. Caroline M. Goodell (4) (Haskins).....p.....	" ".....	d. 1846, a. 19
179. Louisa Daily (s. 167).....p.....	" ".....	D. 1852
180. Sheldon Goddard.....p.....	Apr., 1839.....	d. 1879, a. 74
181. Hannah Goddard (w. 180) (s. 135)p.....	" ".....	d. 1875, a. 69
182. Francis B. Parkinson.....p.....	" ".....	D. 1840
183. Aaron Goddard (b. 180).....p.....	" ".....	1841
184. George Babcock.....C.....	" ".....	W. 1837
185. Susan Powell.....P.....	" ".....	D. 1840
186. Esther Brown.....P.....	" ".....	d
187. Charles F. Camp.....P.....	" ".....	D. 1840
188. Wealthy Camp (w. 187).....P.....	" ".....	D. 1840
189. Franklin Tompkins (11).....p.....	Oct., 1839.....	d. 1834, a. 74
190. Tracy Tompkins (11).....p.....	" ".....	D. 1856
191. Rebecca Spencer.....B.....	Jan., 1840.....	d
192. Levi Spencer (181).....P.....	" ".....	d. 1853, a. 41
193. Minerva Spencer (151) (w. 192).....P.....	" ".....	D. 1855
194. Martha Williams (w. 223).....P.....	" ".....	d. 1849, a. 63
195. Esther Coon (223) (2d w. Rev. G. W. Gale).....P.....	" ".....	d. 1842, a. 33
196. Frederick Robertson Bartlett (455).....C.....	" ".....	D. 1855
197. Norman Churchill.....C.....	Mar., 1840.....	d. 1886, a. 87
198. Anna Churchill (w. 197).....C.....	" ".....	d. 1882, a. 76
199. Caroline Dolbear (w. 177).....p.....	" ".....	D. 1851
200. Caroline Ferris (247) (w. 79).....p.....	" ".....	D. 1852
201. Ann Watson (Stone).....P.....	April, 1840.....	D. 1841
202. Abraham Striker Bergen.....P.....	June, 1840.....	d. 1848, a. 44
203. Fidelia Bergen (w. 202).....P.....	" ".....	D. 1851
204. Marcus Belden (207).....P.....	" ".....	Galesburg
205. Sarah Belden (w. 207).....P.....	" ".....	d. 1870, a. 78
206. Priscilla Belden (207).....P.....	" ".....	d. 1844, a. 21
207. Aaron Belden.....P.....	" ".....	d. 1860, a. 73
208. Nathaniel Belden (647).....P.....	" ".....	D. 1866
209. Permelia Stevens (647).....P.....	" ".....	D. 1840
210. Sally A. Belden (647) (w. 483).....P.....	" ".....	D. 1866
211. Mary E. Edgerton.....C.....	" ".....	d. 1858, a. 76
212. Mrs. Philena Roooks.....B.....	" ".....	d. 1867, a. 82
213. Alfred Bergen.....p.....	" ".....	D. 1840
214. Amanda Prentice (w. 121) (s. 107).....P.....	Oct., 1840.....	d. 1862, a. 55
215. Minerva Bush (w. 431).....P.....	" ".....	D
216. Mary Jane Bush (431) (Smith).....P.....	" ".....	W
217. William Shaler Bush (431).....P.....	" ".....	W. 1848
218. William Henry Kipp.....P.....	" ".....	D. 1843
219. Americus Columbus Higgins (n. 1580).....C.....	" ".....	Galesburg